

The **Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners** held a meeting on January 6, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, third floor Hearing Room, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman
Michele Imossi, DC
Paul Powers, DC
Jean Rexford – Public Member
Faraneh Carnegie-Hargreaves – Public Member

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Elaina Parahus – Public Member
Sean Robotham, DC

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison

Dr. Scott called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

I. MINUTES

Ms. Rexford made a motion, seconded by Dr. Imossi to approve the minutes from the December 9, 2010 meeting. The motion passed.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

A. Licensure Update
None

B. Investigations Update
Gary Griffin, Department of Public Health, Practitioner Investigations Unit reported that there are 12 chiropractic cases currently under investigation by the Department of Public Health. In addition, 2 cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

Respectfully submitted
Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners

The **Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners** held a meeting on June 23 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, third floor Hearing Room, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman – *via telephone*
Faraneh Carnegie-Hargreaves – Public Member – *via telephone*
Michele Imossi, DC – *via telephone*
Paul Powers, DC – *via telephone*
Jean Rexford – Public Member – *via telephone*
Sean Robotham, DC – *via telephone*

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison

Dr. Scott called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m.

I. MINUTES

Dr. Powers made a motion, seconded by Dr. Robotham to approve the minutes from the January 6, 2011 meeting. The motion passed.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

A. Licensure Update
NONE

B. Investigations Update
Gary Griffin, Department of Public Health, Practitioner Investigations Unit reported there are 15 chiropractic cases currently under investigation by the Department of Public Health. 7 of these cases were opened in 2011.
Also, 7 additional cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:12 a.m.

Respectfully submitted
Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners

The **Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners** held a meeting on August 25, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Conference Room 470 A/B, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman
Faraneh Carnegie-Hargreaves – Public Member
Michele Imossi, DC
Paul Powers, DC
Jean Rexford – Public Member

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Sean Robotham, DC

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison

Dr. Scott called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m.

I. MINUTES

Dr. Powers made a motion, seconded by Dr. Robotham to approve the minutes from the June 23, 2011 meeting. The motion passed.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

A. Licensure Update
NONE

B. Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Department of Public Health, Practitioner Investigations Unit reported there are 14 chiropractic cases currently under investigation by the Department of Public Health. 6 additional cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

III. FACT FINDING

Jesse Jutkowitz - Petition Number: 2009-20091024

Hearing Officer Stacy Owens was present for this discussion. The Board reviewed the record in this matter and provided Attorney Owens with language for a Memorandum of Decision. Dr. Powers made a motion, seconded by Dr. Imossi, that "ABC" as referred to in this case, constitutes the practice of chiropractic. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted

Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners

The **Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners** held a meeting on October 27, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, third floor hearing room, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman
Faraneh Carnegie-Hargreaves – Public Member
Paul Powers, DC
Jean Rexford – Public Member
Sean Robotham, DC

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Michele Imossi, DC

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison

Dr. Scott called the meeting to order at 9:27 a.m.

I. MINUTES

Ms. Carnegie-Hargreaves recommended amending minutes from the August 25, 2011 meeting to reflect that Dr. Imossi seconded the approval of the minutes and not Dr. Robotham. Ms. Rexford motion to approve amended minutes, Dr. Powers seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

A. Licensure Update

Jennifer Filippone reported that Public Act 11-242 was changed to allow the Board to recommend topics for Continuing Education requirements. Ms. Filippone looked for any trends in complaints filed and she suggested Ethics, Documentation, Patient Communication and Cultural Competence.

Ms. Rexford suggested the topic of infectious disease. Ms. Rexford motion to recommend Ethics, Documentation, Cultural Competence and 2 hours Patient Communication (including boundary training and/or informed consent). Dr. Robotham seconded. Motion carried with 4 votes. Dr. Powers abstained. New topics will apply to CE requirements beginning October 2012-2014 cycle.

B. Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Department of Public Health, Practitioner Investigations Unit reported that there are 12 chiropractic cases currently under investigation by the Department of Public Health. 7 additional cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Annual Update - Health Assistance interVention Education Network of Connecticut Health Professionals – (HAVEN).

Maureen Dinnan, Executive Director of HAVEN updated the Board and mentioned that one chiropractor was admitted to the program this year. She invited the Board to attend HAVEN's third Annual Symposium on November 4, 2011

B. Memorandum of Decision - Jesse Jutkowitz - Petition Number: 2009-20091024
Dr. Powers motion to accept the MOD. Ms. Rexford seconded. Motion passed 5-0. Ms. Rexford recommended that MOD be forwarded to local public health department. Dr. Powers seconded. Motion passed 5-0. The MOD was signed by Dr. Scott.

IV. LEGAL OFFICE BUSINESS

Eugene Bolognese, D.C. - Petition No. 2009-0203-007-003

Diane Wilan, Staff Attorney, Legal Office, Department of Public Health presented a Consent Order in the matter of Eugene Bolognese, D.C. Attorney Wilan and Dr. Bolognese requested approval of consent order. Dr. Powers motion to approve. Dr. Robotham seconded. Motion carried 4-1. Ms. Rexford was opposed. Dr. Scott signed the Order.

V. ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEMS

The meeting was adjourned at 10:20 a.m. Next scheduled meeting is December 8, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,
Faraneh Carnegie-Hargreaves – Public Member
Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners

The **Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners** held a meeting on December 8, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, third floor hearing room, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman – *via telephone*
Faraneh Carnegie-Hargreaves – Public Member – *via telephone*
Michele Imossi, DC – *via telephone*
Jean Rexford – Public Member – *via telephone*
Sean Robotham, DC – *via telephone*

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Paul Powers, DC

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison

Dr. Scott called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

I. MINUTES

Dr. Imossi made a motion, seconded by Dr. Robotham, to approve minutes from October 27, 2011. The motion passed unanimously.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Department of Public Health, Practitioner Investigations Unit reported that there are 12 chiropractic cases currently under investigation by the Department of Public Health. Since the last meeting two cases have been dismissed. 6 additional cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Meeting dates for 2012 are scheduled as follows:

January 26

February 16

March 29

June 7

September 20 25

December 6

Meetings will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Department of Public Health.

B. Schedule Hearing Dates

Hearing dates in the matter of Thomas Roballey, DC – Petition No. 2009-0619-007-006 will be scheduled for January 23, 2012 and February 16, 2012

The meeting was adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Matthew Scott, DC – Chairman
Connecticut State Board of Chiropractic Examiners